



Acree Update, February 2020



A Chronicle of the Acree family in Sunyani, Ghana

Dear Praying Friends,

The Ministry: We have plenty to talk about in this prayer letter regarding ministry, so I will summarize some of the events that happened since our last prayer letter:

In our last prayer letter, I asked prayer for a special outreach Health Day. Katie Jones was coming to teach the health classes while a national pastor presented the gospel. Leading up to the event, we were not sure if Mrs. Jones was going to make it, as the Ghana Embassy delayed returning her passport (with a visa) to beyond the time of her scheduled flight. She got here about a half a week late, and we had a good outreach.

Every New Year's Eve, we have a special service/event to usher in the New Year. This year, we had the church over to our house for food, games and preaching. At this event, we saw a former church attendee return. Julianna, a new contact, also joined us and then subsequently came to visit several times for church. Please pray specifically for these two that they will join with us more regularly.

During the school year, I preach weekly at a local boarding high school. A few weeks ago, a young lady named Effiel approached me after the sermon and wanted to know more about how to go to Heaven. I met with her the next day and she accepted Christ as her Savior.

Kwame Hackman was a professor at the University of Energy and Natural Resources. He used to attend our church and also held a weekly Bible study at his university. The Lord has directed Brother Hackman to move to Burkina Faso, and I have been asked to take over the Bible study there on campus. This is a great opportunity for us, and those that have been attending are engaged and receptive. They come from various religious backgrounds including Baptist, Muslim and Catholic.

The Family: In our last prayer letter, I mentioned that Melissa was having some health issues and, as a result, was having some tests done. For the most part, the plethora of tests performed came back as normal, but the symptoms of numbness, pain and extreme fatigue still persist. From January 19th to February 19th, we sent Melissa to the States where she had appointments with a neurologist, an infectious disease doctor, a naturopathic doctor, a chiropractor and a general care physician. We've ruled out many things (including some big things like cancer, MS, aneurism, Guillain Barre Syndrome, polyneuropathy, and various parasites), but still no diagnosis was issued. Please pray for Melissa. It is a serious enough issue that we sent her to America for a month, and we are still looking for answers.

Thank you for your continued prayers and support,
Seth Acree & family

Praises:

- Opportunity for a new Bible study at University of Energy and Natural Resources
- Paperwork: Acquisition of all non-citizen ID cards. Approval for us to have 2 quota slots.

Prayer Requests:

- Melissa's health and an accurate diagnosis.
- Paperwork: Approval to fill one of our quota slots with myself.

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